GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2149
ANSWERED ON:14.03.2008
EXPANSION OF TRIBAL SUB PLAN AREA
Rawat Prof. Rasa Singh

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Rajasthan had requested the Union Government for expansion of Tribal Sub Plan Area in the State;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken by the Union Government in this regard; and

(c) the time by which approval to said proposal is likely to be accorded by the Union Government?

Answer

MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P. R. KYNDIAH)

(a), (b) & (c): Yes, the State Government of Rajasthan has requested for expansion of Tribal Sub Plan Area which includes Scheduled Area, Modified Area Development Approach (MADA) block and MADA Clusters. This has been examined and clarifications are awaited from the State Government of Rajasthan. No time limit can be set.